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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): Hybrid Vehicle and Method for Controlling the Same

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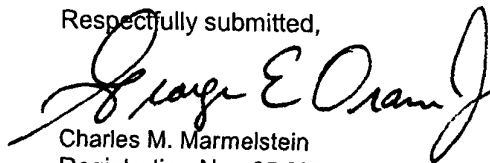
- ☒ 22 pages of Specification/Claims 1-9/Abstract are attached.
- ☒ Formal drawings (Fig(s). 1-9; 9 sheet(s)) is/are attached.
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to Honda Giken Kogyo Kabushiki Kaisha is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- ☒ Priority of foreign application No. 2002-288533 filed October 1, 2002 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

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- ☒ A check in the amount of \$790.00 (\$750.00 for the filing fee and \$40.00 for the Assignment Recordation Fee) is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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